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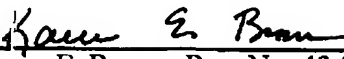
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	C2	Malaviya et al., "Treatment of allergic asthma by targeting janus kinase 3-dependent leukotriene synthesis in mast cells with 4-(3',5' - dibromo-4'-hydroxyphenyl)amino-6,7-dimethoxyquinazoline (WHI-P97)," The Journal of Pharmacology and Experimental Therapeutics, 295(3):912-926, (2000).
	C3	Trieu et al., "A specific inhibitor of janus kinase-3 increases survival in a transgenic mouse model of amyotrophic lateral sclerosis," Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications, 267:22-25, (2000).

* a copy of this reference is not provided as it was previously cited by or submitted to the office in a prior application, U.S.S.N. _____, filed _____, and relied upon for an earlier filing date under 35 U.S.C. §120 (continuation, continuation-in-part, and divisional applications).

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